

Around Winchester

22. Sir Harold Hillier Gardens



Jermyns Lane, Ampfield,
Romsey SO51 0QA

These world famous 180 acre gardens offer breathtaking beauty and tranquillity whatever the season. With a Tree House, Wobbly Bridge and Super Snake Swing, kids love it here too. We host exciting events and exhibitions all year round including the popular Art in the Garden sculpture exhibition. Free parking.



Admission: £10.40

*On receipt of this voucher, half price discount for second ticket per full paying gift aid admission. Applies to cheapest ticket. On gift aid, day entry admission only. Not valid in conjunction with any other offer or paid for events. Valid until end of March 2018.

Open: Daily, 10am to 6pm (5pm in winter), closed 25 & 26 December only

01794 369 318
www.hilliergardens.org.uk

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23. Marwell Zoo



Colden Common, Winchester, SO21 1JH

Get close to the wonders of the natural world and play a big part in helping save them. Watch the gorgeous Amur tiger and Amur leopards cubs growing up, PLUS, look out for a new lemur walkthrough opening summer 2017! 140-acre park with an incredible range of exotic & endangered species.



Admission: Adult £15–£19, Child £11.50–£15, Senior £12.50–£16.50

(includes voluntary donation).

Open: Daily except Christmas & Boxing Day. 10am–5pm/6pm (standard days). 10am–4pm/5pm (winter days).

01962 777 407
www.marwell.org.uk

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24. Beaulieu



Beaulieu, New Forest,
Hampshire, SO42 7ZN

One ticket provides access to all of the Beaulieu attractions! Motoring fans can see over 250 vehicles the National Motor Museum as well as re-living memorable challenges in World of Top Gear. For the history fans, experience the Victorian splendour of Palace House, now with never-before-seen rooms open, and new for Easter 2017 see the Victorian kitchen restored to its original layout. Explore the tranquil ruins of Beaulieu Abbey and the stunning gardens for a moment of calm.



Open: every day from 10am
Admission: See website for current prices

01590 612 123 (24hr)
01590 612 345
www.beaulieu.co.uk

25. Avington Park



Avington, Winchester SO21 1DB

Avington Park, once described by William Cobbett as "one of the prettiest places in the County" has hosted Charles II and George IV. The house boasts wonderful rooms – the beautifully painted main hall, the library overlooking the south lawns, the ballroom with its magnificent gold plasterwork ceiling and painted panels – yet Avington retains the atmosphere and warmth of a family home.



Admission for tour of the house: £8 adult £4 child

01962 779 260
www.avingtonpark.co.uk

*Valid until end of September

Open: House, grounds and Tea Bar open to the public from May to September on Sundays, Bank Holiday Mondays and Mondays in August 2.30pm – 5.30pm.

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26. Winchester Science Centre & Planetarium



Telegraph Way, Winchester SO21 1HZ

A family-friendly hands-on science centre. Find 100 interactive exhibits, an Invention Studio and the UK's largest standalone planetarium. Special events, for all ages, include science shows, themed weekends, space lectures, film nights and holiday activities. Open 7 days a week with on-site car park, café and science shop.

Open: Mon–Fri 10am – 4pm, weekends (bank holidays and local school holidays) 10am – 5pm. Closed 24–26 Dec.

Admission: Advance online bookings save 10%

www.winchestersciencecentre.org
01962 863 791



27. Royal Armouries Fort Nelson



Portsdown Hill Road, Fareham, PO17 6AN

Discover the national collection of artillery at Fort Nelson – over 350 big guns on display. Explore 19 acres of ramparts, outer fortifications, underground tunnels, and ammunition bunkers at this fully restored Victorian fort. Daily gun firings (1pm) and special events throughout the year.



Open: Apr–Oct: Daily 10am–5pm.
Nov–Mar: Daily, 10.30am–4pm. Closed 24–26 Dec.
Admission: Free

01329 848 532
www.royalarmouries.org

28. Mid Hants Railway (Watercress Line)



Alresford, SO24 9JG

Let the train take the strain as you travel through 10 miles of Hampshire countryside to the soothing sounds of the steam engine and the clackety clack of the rails. Stations with period charm await you at this living history attraction. Family events and dining trains throughout the year.



Admission: Adult £16, child (2–16) £8, under 2 yrs FREE, family (2 adults+2 children) £40.

Open: Mid Feb – Oct, weekends and selected midweek days. 10am–4pm
01962 733 810
www.watercressline.co.uk

29. Chawton House Library



Chawton, Alton GU34 1SJ

Discover the 'Great House' enjoyed by Jane Austen, and once owned by her brother Edward. The beautifully restored and quintessentially English manor house, gardens and parkland is now home to a unique and inspirational collection of women's writing.



Open: 20 Mar – 27 Oct, Sunday to Friday and Bank Holidays.
Monday to Friday: 12.00pm – 4.30pm
Sunday: 11.00am – 5.00pm

Admission: See website for admission prices

01420 541 010
www.chawtonhouselibrary.org

*Excludes special event days and other offers. Valid until 27 October 2017

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30. Jane Austen's House Museum



Chawton, Alton, GU34 1SD

The house where Jane Austen lived from 1809 until 1817, and where she wrote and revised her novels. Today the house is a museum to her life and work and contains an important collection of Austen artefacts. Mature gardens, museum shop, changing exhibitions and full programme of events.



Opening and admission: See website

01420 83262
www.jane-austens-house-museum.org.uk

*Excludes special event days, concessions and children's rates do not apply. Valid until 30 April 2018

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31. Gilbert White & The Oates Collection



High Street, Selborne, GU34 3JH

Discover three fascinating stories about explorers of the Natural World. Explore the home of **Gilbert White** the pioneering 18th century naturalist, set in 25 acres of magnificent parkland with restored gardens. Learn about **Captain Oates** and his epic journey to the South Pole and his uncle, **Frank Oates**, Victorian explorer.



Plant sales and free entry to our award-winning Tea Parlour and well-stocked Gift Shop.

See website for opening times, special events and admission prices.

01420 511 275
www.gilbertwhiteshouse.org.uk

*Excludes special event days, concessions and children do not apply. Valid until 30 April 2018

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32. Bombay Sapphire Distillery



Laverstoke Mill, Laverstoke,
Whitchurch, Hampshire, RG28 7NR

The Bombay Sapphire Distillery is in a conservation area with over 1000 years of history. It is situated just 15 miles from Winchester and 60 miles from London. The distillery showcases the care, skill and artistry behind every drop of Bombay Sapphire, and allows you to discover the flavours of the botanicals which make Bombay Sapphire gin so unique.



Open: every day from 10am
Admission: Please book online in advance. See website for current prices.

hello@bombaysapphire.com
distillery.bombaysapphire.com

Places to eat and drink

City Centre

Cabinet Rooms Hub
Jewry Street, SO23 8SA
01962 866 480

Corner House
71 North Walls, SO23 8DA
01962 827 779

Eat, Drink and Be
81 High Street, SO23 9AT
01962 867 636

eighteen71
Broadway, SO23 9GH
01962 840 820

Forte Kitchen
78 Parchment Street, SO23 8AT
01962 856 840

Green Man
53 Southgate Street, SO23 9EH
01962 866 809

Kyoto Kitchen
70 Parchment Street, SO23 8AT
01962 890 895

Mucky Duck
84 Hyde Street, SO23 7DW
01962 868 144

No.5 Bridge Street
Bridge Street, SO23 0HN
01962 863 838

Porterhouse Steakhouse
24 Jewry Street, SO23 8SB
01962 810 532

Rick Stein
7–8 High Street, SO23 9JX
01962 353 353

River Cottage Canteen
Abbey Gardens, SO23 9GH
01962 457 747

St James Tavern
3 Romsey Road, SO22 5BE
01962 861 288

The Chesil Rectory
1 Chesil Street, SO23 0HU
01962 851 555

The King Alfred
11 Saxon Road, SO23 7DJ
01962 854 370

The Stable
30–31 The Square, SO23 9EX
01962 878 333

The William Walker
34 The Square, SO23 9EX
01962 807 500

Tom's Deli
56 St George's Street, SO23 8AH
01962 840 595

Wagamama
Century House
Jewry Street, SO23 8RY
01962 896 234

Westgate Pub
2 Romsey Road, SO23 8TP
01962 820 222

Around Winchester

Hambledon Vineyard
PO7 4RY
02392 632 358

The White Horse
Otterbourne
SO21 2EQ
01962 712 830

Winchester Distillery
Manor Watercress Factory,
Old Alresford, Winchester,
SO24 9DH



Welcome to Winchester

Explore Winchester, the perfect English city on the edge of the South Downs National Park. With outstanding attractions and breathtaking countryside, all only one hour from London, this vibrant cathedral city has something for everyone. But don't take our word for it, come and see for yourself...

Public transport

Winchester is on the main line from London Waterloo to Southampton and Poole. An extensive local bus network runs from the Broadway bus station and National Express coaches stop next to Abbey House.

Winchester on wheels

Manual & powered wheelchairs and battery powered scooters are available from Shopmobility (Mon–Fri). Book in advance on **01962 842 626**.



Visit Winchester

Greeters
Book a Visit Winchester Greeter online at **www.visitwinchester.co.uk**



Plan your visit, enjoy special offers and event information and explore what Winchester has to offer at **www.visitwinchester.co.uk**
www.festivalsinwinchester.co.uk
www.christmasinwinchester.co.uk



Discover Winchester

Join a qualified tourist guide and discover the history of the city. Call 01962 840 500 or see **www.winchestertouristguides.com**



Enjoy a self guided walk with a selection of leaflets available from the tourist information centre or at **www.visitwinchester.co.uk**

Useful contacts

National Rail 03457 484 950
www.nationalrail.co.uk

National Express 08717 818 178
www.nationalexpress.com

National Traveline 0871 200 2233
www.traveline.info

My journey
www.myjourneyhampshire.com

Winchester City Council Parking Office
01962 848 346 **www.winchester.gov.uk**

Local buses 03451 210 190
www.stagecoachbus.com

Shopmobility 01962 842 626



Winchester Tourist Information Centre

Winchester Guildhall, High Street, Winchester SO23 9GH Tel 01962 840 500
Email **tourism@winchester.gov.uk** Web **www.visitwinchester.co.uk**

Monday to Saturday 10am to 5pm, closed between Christmas and New Year
Open Sunday 11am to 4pm May to September

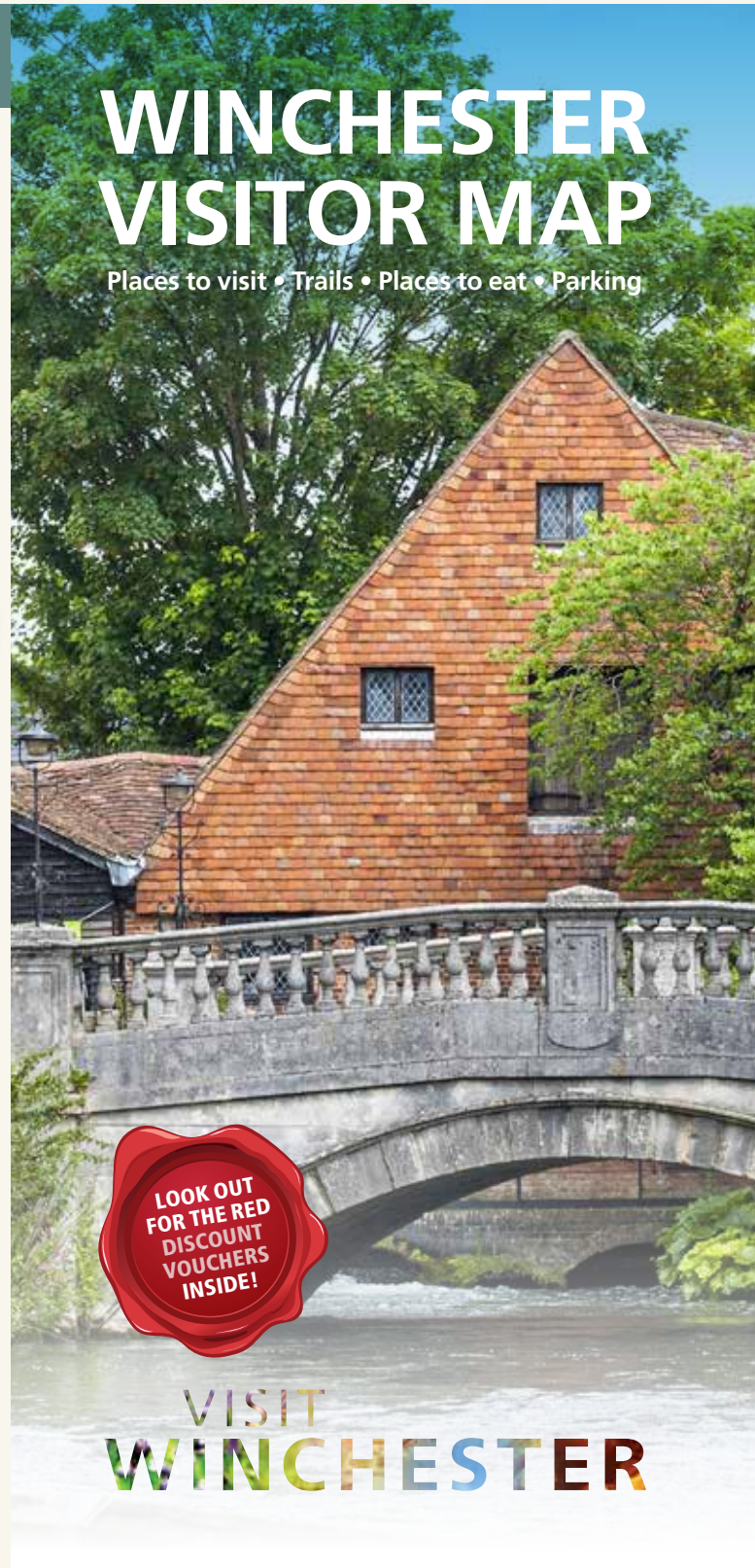
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WINCHESTER VISITOR MAP

Places to visit • Trails • Places to eat • Parking



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**VISIT
WINCHESTER**

1. Winchester Discovery Centre

Jewry Street, Winchester SO23 8SB

The Discovery Centre is home to a vibrant library, exhibition space, art gallery and performance hall. We host a varied programme of events from comedy nights to author talks, plus a wide range of activities for children and families, many of which are free. We offer free Wi-Fi, a spacious family friendly café, tourist information for visitors to Winchester plus a gift shop.

Open 7 days a week

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Box Office: 01962 873 606



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www.hampshireculturaltrust.org.uk
enquiries@hampshireculturaltrust.org.uk
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Open: SEE WEBSITE

2. The City Museum

The Square, SO23 9ES

Tells Winchester's nationally important story as a major Roman centre, principal city of King Alfred and the Anglo-Saxon and Norman kings.

☎ 01962 863 064

3. The Westgate Museum

High Street, SO23 9AP

Fortified Medieval gateway and a debtors' prison for 150 years, with walls covered in prisoners' graffiti. Great view from the roof!

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4. The Gallery



Winchester Discovery Centre,
Jewry Street, SO23 8SB

Exhibitions featuring nationally and internationally significant artists, artefacts and collections.

☎ 01962 873 603

5. City Space

Winchester Discovery Centre,
Jewry Street, SO23 8SB

A vibrant gallery space with a regularly changing programme of exhibitions reflecting local arts and heritage.

☎ 01962 873 610

6. Winchester Cathedral, Refectory and Gift Shop

Cathedral Office, 9 The Close, SO23 9LS

A must-see attraction at the heart of historic Winchester. Discover 1000 years of history, magnificent architecture, art and priceless treasures. Famous 'residents' include Saxon kings, the much-loved author Jane Austen and biographer and angler Izaak Walton. Home too to Antony Gormley's contemplative sculpture 'Sound II' in the cathedral crypt. An annual Christmas Market (20 Nov – 22 Dec) and Ice Rink (20 Nov – 7 Jan) are held in the Cathedral Close.

Admission (annual pass): £8.00 adults, £6.00 concessions, children under 16 (with family) free and includes a free family trail.

☎ 01962 857 200 (Mon–Fri)

www.winchester-cathedral.org.uk

Open: Mon–Sat 9am–5pm, Sun 12.30pm–3pm
(times may vary for services and special events).



7. Winchester College

College Street, SO23 9NA

Founded in 1382, Winchester College is believed to be the oldest continuously running school in England. Guided tours may include Chamber Court; the 14th century Gothic Chapel; the original Scholars' dining hall; the 17th Century red brick schoolroom and the original Cloister.

Open: Mon, Wed, Fri & Sat: 10.15am, 11.30am, 2.15pm, 3.30pm (no 3.30pm tours Sept – Mar)
Tues & Thurs: 10.15am & 11.30am. Sun 2.15pm & 3.30pm (no 3.30pm tour Dec – Jan). Groups: times to suit, must be pre-booked. Please check website for up-to-date information.

☎ 01962 621 209

www.winchestercollege.org/guided-tours



College is closed between
Christmas and New Year.

Admission: Adult £8, Concessions £7.

*Upon presentation of this voucher (EM03). Valid until 30 April 2018

8. Winchester College Treasury

College Street, Winchester SO23 9NA

An outstanding museum of art and archaeology housed in a recently converted Medieval stables in the heart of England's oldest public school.

Admission: £5

☎ 01962 814638

www.treasury.winchestercollege.org

Open Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday and Sunday, 2–4pm.

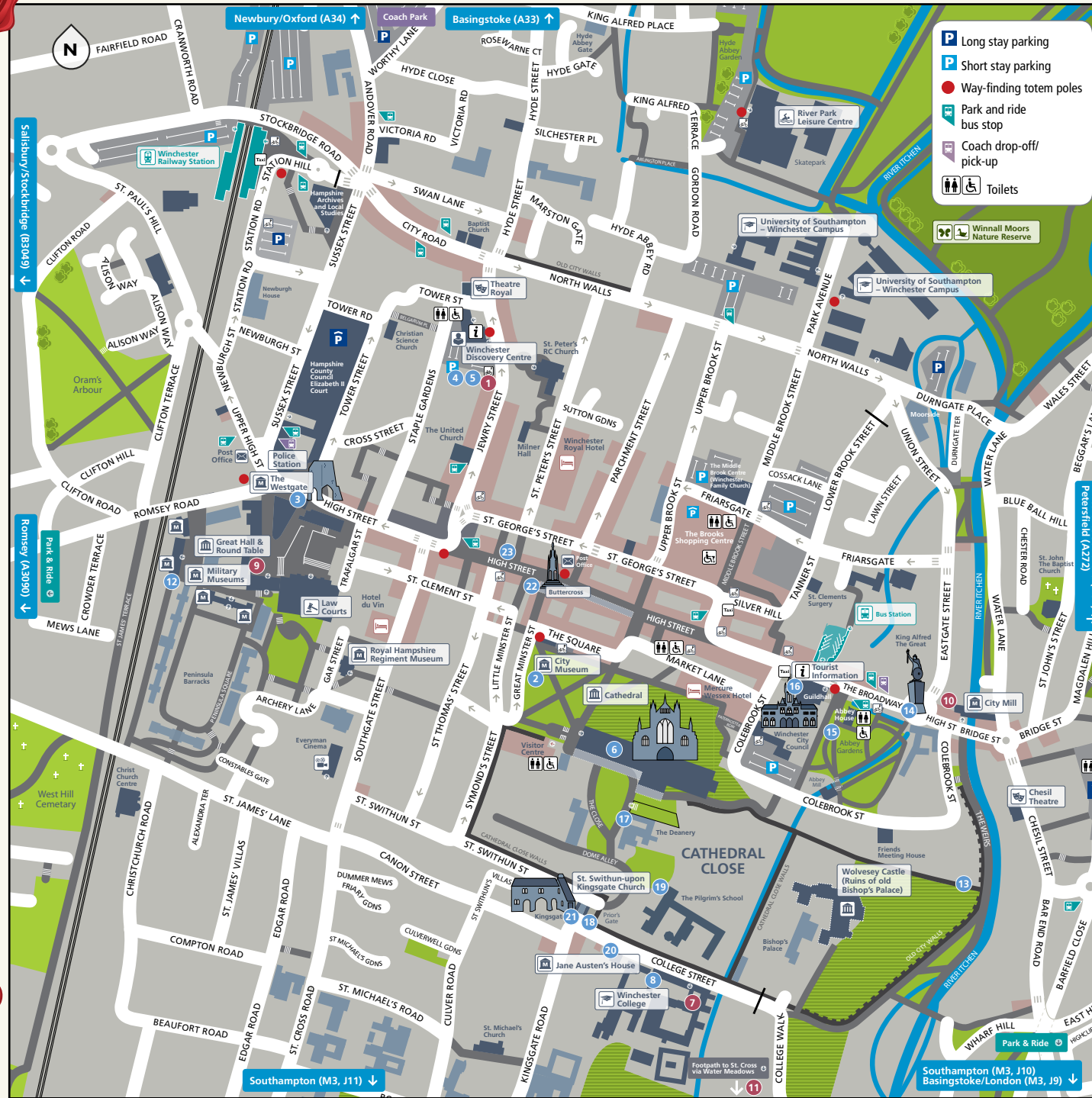
Tickets available online or from Kingsgate Books and Prints.

See website for details.

Ground floor



Winchester city map



This map features on wayfinding totems around the city to help you find your way

9. The Great Hall

Castle Avenue, SO23 8UJ

The Great Hall – where history and legend meet – is home to 'King Arthur's Round Table', but why is the table in Winchester? Could Winchester have been Camelot?

One of the finest 13th century Medieval aisled halls, and once part of Winchester Castle, the Great Hall has been a royal residence, a defensive stronghold, a courtroom, a filming location, and now a wedding venue and visitor attraction. You can also try on fun historical costumes, see Queen Eleanor's Garden, explore the Long Gallery, and browse unusual and themed gifts in the shop.

Please visit our webpage for opening times.

☎ 01962 847 782

www.hants.gov.uk/greathall



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10. Winchester City Mill – Gateway to the South Downs

Bridge Street, SO23 9BH

Visit this traditional, fully restored, working watermill that has stood at the heart of the historic city of Winchester for over 1000 years. Learn about the building's fascinating history and see how our traditional stone-ground wholemeal flour is produced using the power of the River Itchen. Milling demonstrations every Saturday and Sunday as well as Wednesdays (May–Oct).

Opening Times: 1 Jan–19 Feb 10am–4pm,
20 Feb–29 Oct 10am–5pm,
30 Oct–24 Dec 10am–4pm.
Last admission 30mins before closing.

Admission: charges apply. National Trust members and Hampshire Wildlife Trust members free.

☎ 01962 870 057

www.nationaltrust.org.uk/winchestercitymill



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11. The Hospital of St Cross

St Cross Road, SO23 9SD

A short picturesque stroll from the city centre will bring the visitor to the living tranquillity of St Cross. Founded in 1132, the Hospital is home to 25 Brothers and continues to provide refreshment (April to October) for the traveller – including the traditional Wayfarer's Dole.

Open:

Apr–Oct: Mon–Sat, 9.30am–5pm, Sun, 1pm–5pm.
Nov–Mar: Mon–Sat, 10.30am–3.30pm

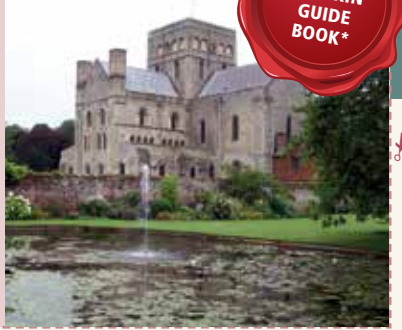
Admission: Adult £4.50, senior citizen £4, child £2.50

☎ 01962 851 375

www.hospitalofstcross.co.uk

*Offer valid upon presentation of this voucher. Valid until March 2018.

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12. Winchester's Military Museums

Peninsula Barracks, Romsey Road, SO23 8TS

Six inspiring museums on one historical site telling the story of soldiers in peace and in war since 1700.

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info@winchestermilitarymuseums.co.uk

www.winchestermilitarymuseums.co.uk



13. River Itchen and Weirs Walk

Stroll across the City Bridge, the river's ancient crossing place and entrance to the city, and follow the Weirs Walk to the water meadows and St Cross. Go via Wolvesey Castle – the extensive ruins of the Medieval bishop's palace.



14. King Alfred The Great

Scholar, soldier, statesman, King Alfred restored Winchester after the Dark Ages and made the city his capital. His striking bronze statue dominates the Broadway.



15. Abbey House and Gardens

The mayor's official residence. On the site of a Nunnaminster founded by King Alfred's wife, Queen Ealhswith.



16. Guildhall Winchester

An imposing Gothic building, the recently refurbished Victorian Guildhall is a civic and conference centre. A café and the tourist information centre are on the ground floor.



17. The Deanery and Dean Garnier Garden

Between the cathedral and the Deanery, which has been continuously occupied since the 13th century, this delightful Victorian garden has been recreated to reflect the cathedral architecture.



18. Cheyney Court

A highly photographed half-timbered beauty, and former bishop's court house.



19. Pilgrims' Hall

Adjacent to Pilgrims' School, Pilgrims' Hall, where pilgrims to the shrine of St Swithun were lodged, dates from 1308 and has a fine hammerbeam roof.



20. Jane Austen's House

Now a private residence, Austen lived here for the last six weeks of her life and died on 18 July 1817. She is buried in the cathedral.



21. The Kingsgate

Above the archways of this surviving city gate is one of Winchester's hidden gems, the tiny church of St Swithun-upon-Kingsgate.



22. Buttercross

Winchester's familiar 15th century city cross. A narrow passage leads from it to Great Minster Street, passing the almost hidden church of St Lawrence-in-the-Square.



23. God Begot House

Look down Royal Oak Passage to see the 16th century origins of this half-timbered building, now a pizza restaurant, on the site of Queen Emma's manor. Lloyds Bank opposite occupies the old guildhall.



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- ☎ Gift Shop
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